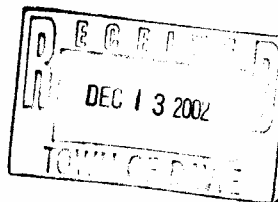




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December 10, 2002

Dear Sir or Madam:

Last year, with the unselfish support of Broward County's elected officials, the Department of Student Activities and Athletics of the School Board of Broward County was able to send a student leader from each of our public schools to the state convention of the Florida Association of Student Councils. This year, with your help, we would like to repeat that success.

National studies reflect that elected high school student government officers are more likely to attend post secondary educational institutions, become involved in service to their communities, and to take an active interest in local, state, and national government. Elected student government leaders learn very quickly what it means to have a constituency. One essential component in creating a quality school climate that fosters student involvement in the school and community is the elected student leader.

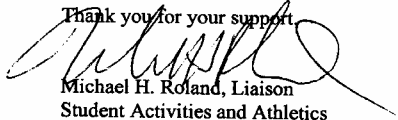
To do the job to which they have been elected, student leaders need all of the training that we can provide. A major opportunity for them to obtain training as an elected leader occurs at the annual state convention of the Florida Association of Student Councils. At this convention student leaders take part in a major election campaign, debate and vote on resolutions that pertain to Florida issues, and exchange ideas and projects with other leaders from throughout the state.

The cost for a student to register and attend is \$250. The reduction of school-based budgets will make it increasingly difficult for our schools to send students to the FASC convention this year. This is where the elected officials of Broward County can come to the aid of our rising student and community leaders. A donation of \$250 will sponsor a student leader to attend the FASC convention. If you avail yourself of this opportunity you can select the school you wish your donation to benefit and you will receive a plaque acknowledging your generosity.

If you can help us develop and train our student leaders please fill out the attached form and send it, with a check made payable to the School Board of Broward County, Student Activities to:

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Thank you for your support


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Florida Association of Student Councils
State Convention Sponsorship Form

Name of Government Official: _____
Title/Office: _____

Telephone: _____
Web Site: _____
Contact Person: _____
High School to Benefit: _____

We wish our donation to remain anonymous. Yes No

We wish to be informed of the student and school to which our donation is directed. Yes No

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